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## JUDGE HENRY BOROFF REAPPOINTED TO 14 YEAR TERM AS BANKRUPTCY JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

BOSTON (September 12, 2007) — Chief Judge Michael Boudin of the United States Court of Appeals for the First Circuit announced today that Chief Judge Boroff has been reappointed to serve as a United States Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Massachusetts. First appointed in December 1993, Judge Boroff has served as a bankruptcy judge primarily in Springfield and Worcester. He was appointed Chief Judge of the Massachusetts Bankruptcy Court in 2006.

Prior to serving on the Massachusetts Bankruptcy Court, Judge Boroff was engaged in private practice in Boston, first with the firm of Friedman & Atherton and then with the firm of Boroff and Associates. He attended Boston University and Boston University Law School. Since 1996, he has served as an Adjunct Professor and Lecturer at the Western New England College School of Law. He has been very active in bench/bar activities, the formulation of the Bankruptcy Court's local rules and the promotion of its information technology and played a significant role in bringing to western Massachusetts the M. Ellen Carpenter Financial Literacy Project sponsored by the Boston Bar Association.

Chief Judge Boudin stated "Judge Boroff has established a distinguished record of service and commitment to the Massachusetts Bankruptcy Court and bar. The Court is pleased to appoint him to a second term."